

# Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Friday 12 May 2023



Friday

12 May 2023 10:30-23:59  
Trend since last FGS

Steady



Saturday

13 May 2023

Steady



Sunday

14 May 2023

Steady



Monday

15 May 2023

Steady



Tuesday

16 May 2023

Steady



The overall flood risk for England and Wales for the next five days is VERY LOW.

## Assessment of flood risk



Surface water

The surface water flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.



Rivers

The river flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.



Coastal/Tidal

The coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.



Groundwater

The groundwater flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.

## Flood risk matrix

LIKELIHOOD	IMPACT	VERY LOW	LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH
	MINIMAL	MINOR	SIGNIFICANT	SEVERE	
HIGH	VERY LOW	LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH	
MEDIUM	VERY LOW	LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH	
LOW	VERY LOW	LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH	
VERY LOW	VERY LOW	LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH	

## Summary of potential impacts

### MINIMAL

Isolated and minor flooding of low-lying land and roads  
Isolated spray/wave on coastal promenades  
Little or no disruption to travel, but wet road surfaces

### MINOR

Localised flooding of land and roads  
Flooding affecting individual properties  
Disruption to travel and key sites in flood plans

### SIGNIFICANT

Flooding affecting parts of communities  
Possible danger to life and damage to buildings/structures  
Disruption to travel and key sites in flood plans

### SEVERE

Danger to life, severe disruption to travel  
Widespread flooding affecting whole communities  
Widespread disruption or loss of infrastructure  
Large scale evacuation of properties possible

Next statement due 10:30hrs Saturday 13 May 2023 (all times are local)

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More information <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/flood-forecasting-centre>